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GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN

The Feeling in Maine

BOSTON Dec 16 Dispatches from Maine up to midnight give little additional information regarding the action of the governor and council in changing the political complexion of the legislature beyond stating that great excitement and bitterness exists among the republicans of Maine A dispatch from Portland says that ex-Mayor Putnam of that city a prominent democrat declares that the governor and council have acted neither according to law nor justice I D M Sweet democratic ex member of congress deprecated the taking away of Portland's representation when it was evident who had been elected He was not prepared to speak as to the legality or illegality of the proceedings Charles F Sweet, ex-democratic councilman and member of the city committee expressed the opinion that four at least of the republican candidates for representatives in Portland had been fairly elected and the withholding of their certificates would operate very injuriously to the democratic party He did not believe there had been any more corruption bribery or fraud on one side than the other Edmund Dana chairman of the democratic state central committee was not prepared to give any opinion He thought however that the republicans could not complain if they were counted out on technicalities as they had furnished plenty of precedents

Nearly Consummated.

AUGUSTA, Me. Dec 17—The council were engaged to-night in issuing the remaining certificates, which have not been sent out up to this time The members of the council official list, will not be given to the public until to-morrow They say the house will stand 61 republicans 78 fusion and 12 vacant; senate, 20 fusion and 11 republicans

LATER.—The council have completed their official report. It confirms the figures in the previous dispatch No decision has yet been reached upon the county officers

Stage Overturned

DENVER, Dec 17—The stage driven by J L D. Dwyer was overturned by a sharp wind in Boulder Canyon this morning and fell down an embankment of 70 feet, Dwyer receiving injuries which resulted in his death to-night. No other person was seriously hurt.

Printers Strike

The printers here struck for an advance of five cents per thousand and the demand was granted. The price now paid is 45 cents

First Train.

CINCINNATI, Dec 16—The first through passenger train on the Cincinnati Southern railroad started for Chattanooga this forenoon.

Another Strike.

Journeymen brewers threaten to strike if their wages are not raised

Fatal Explosion.

The boiler in Louis Trumbull's saw mill at Collins, Ind., exploded to-day, killing Trumbull, his two sons and two other persons employed in the mill

A Wrestling Match.

A wrestling match took place to-night at Robinson's opera house between Wm Miller and John McMahon McMahon won the first fall with jacket, Miller second, Græco-Roman; McMahon third Miller fourth. Miller won the toss for the style of the bout and chose Græco-Roman He was declared winner of that fall by a foul, and so won the match.

Arrested for Abortion

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16—Dr Chas A Smith was arrested and locked up to day charged with producing an abortion on a servant girl named Ellen Senger The arrest was made at the confession of the girl and Smith will probably be held on a charge of manslaughter. The girl also designates a well known lawyer holding a high position at the bar and a married man, as the father of the child

A Determined Suicide.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky, Dec 16—Conductor Kepler fell under a moving train this afternoon and his leg was terribly mangled After being taken home and while physicians were about him, he attempted to shoot himself, but was prevented.

Railroad Building.

NEW YORK, Dec 17—The *Times* says the Texas & Pacific Railroad Co having authorized the issue of new mortgage bonds for the purpose of extending its road from Fort Worth west to El Paso on the Rio Grande a distance of 840 miles, building of the extension will be begun as soon as the company to construct it has been organized, which will be in about two weeks The company has made a contract with Tom Scott, who is the president of it, Jay Gould Russell Sage Geo [illegible], Chas. F Woerishoffer and William [illegible], to build the proposed road They are the construction company and will organize, for sufficient reasons, under the laws of the state of Connecticut As the price of construction, the Texas & Pacific Co has to pay the construction company $20,000 of bonds and $20 000 of stock per mile This will have the effect of transferring the control of the Texas & Pacific road to the construction company. In other words the Texas & Pacific, present and future, passes into the hands of Jay Gould & Co. It is said that the extension will be built in two years

Railroad Discrimination.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—It is stated that the Vanderbilt roads are again moving in the much discussed question of differential rates on east bound freight traffic, which gives Baltimore and Philadelphia a lower rate than New York It is claimed that Vanderbilt is also dissatisfied with this arrangement and the discrimination there created against New York that he will begin to combat it a proceeding which would probably bring about a disruption of the present pool and make another aggressive war

A Threatened Strike.

The employes of packing houses to-night held a meeting and decided to strike at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon The immediate cause of the strike is the discharge by Armour & Co. and other firms of about 1000 union men. The union now demands that the packers shall not employ non union men The packers say they will not submit to dictation and are ready to remove their business from Chicago rather than submit to it. A number of houses did not buy any hogs this afternoon

Patti Libel Suit.

ST LOUIS, Dec 16—The depositions in the Patti libel suit against the *Post Dispatch* for $25,000, were resumed to-day but the only witness examined was Mr Fischer Carlotta's secretary Mme. Patti Deminck and Chez [illegible] were subpenaed last evening for the same, but as they could not afford to break their contract at Topeka, where they give a concert this evening, they refused to wait and left last evening by rail Mr Fischer the secretary was the only one of the party who remained over until to-night and his deposition was taken this morning Patti's attorney says her deposition will be taken in San Francisco

That Terrible Caucus

RICHMOND, Dec 16—The readjusters in caucus to-night commenced the nomination of county judges beginning the list in alphabetical order Ten judges were nominated, and to morrow in accordance with the joint resolution [illegible] last week the decapitation of the judiciary of the state will begin

Fraudulent Invoices

NEW YORK Dec 1[illegible]—The customs authorities make a charge against [illegible] & Co [illegible] [illegible] fraudulent [illegible] government [illegible] The [illegible] say that [illegible] that the goods were passed as [illegible] They express a [illegible] with the government [illegible] been adjourned [illegible] the original bill [illegible] to compare with the invoices [illegible] the authorities

CANADA

Burned to Death

QUEBEC, Dec [illegible]—Three persons were killed and two injured by the [illegible] of the court house at St Jean

Railway Accident.

BERLIN, Dec. 17—A railway accident occurred near Breslau yesterday causing [illegible] deaths

THE GREAT TRAVELER

The Display at Philadelphia—Immense Procession—Distinguished Participants

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN

PHILADELPHIA Dec 1[illegible] Old Independence Hall was lavishly decorated with evergreens flags and mottoes General Grant alighted from his carriage at the Union League [illegible] and reviewed the procession. In the line were Generals [illegible] Porter and [illegible] others with many [illegible] ex governors of states [illegible] Rice Hamilton Fish ex Secretary Robeson and Boutwell. Seven thousand [illegible] were in the line. The G A R were 3000 strong. In all trades [illegible] were represented in the procession. The [illegible] organizations had 300 men in line. Amongst the ship builders were 1000 men from Roach's shipyard. The central feature of display was a miniature steamer *City of Tokio* the exact model of the namesake in which Grant sailed from China to San Francisco. She was 35 feet long, 7 feet beam and mast [illegible] feet and was on a truck drawn by 6 horses The entire procession occupied 3 hours in passing and the general left the stand before it was completed as the weather was raw and chilly The enthusiasm never lagged and people jammed the streets till late at night. In the evening there were brilliant illuminations

This evening General and Mrs Grant dined at the residence of George W Childs with a party of old friends After dinner there was an informal reception in honor of the general attended by some 300 guests among them P M General Key ex-Minister to Russia George H Booker, ex Governor John F Hartranft, J W Simonton George Jones of the New York *Times* Colonel A K McClure ex Vice President Colfax Franklin B Gowan A J Drexel Colonel J W Forney Clayton McMichael Mayor Stokely Secretary of War Ramsey Hugh Hastings, John Hoey and a number of other well known men

About 8 30 P M General Grant was serenaded by McClurg's band of this city and by the 5th Maryland regiment band which accompanies Post No 1 G A R of Baltimore At 10 o'clock General Grant left Mr Childs house and visited the Academy of Fine Arts where a reception was held and at its conclusion retired and was escorted to the hotel

Hand Shaking

General Grant arrived at Carpenter Hall about 10 45 The hall was handsomely decorated with bunting and growing flowers and exotic plants The general was received by ex Minister Welsh who gave him a welcome to the old hall and presented him an engrossed address from the Carpenters Company General Grant accepted the gift in a few well chosen words Members of the Carpenters Company and their families were presented to the ex president and a general handshaking took place

Over the stage were the words, "The nation's birth-place bids you welcome" Gen. Grant on receiving the address spoke as follows

Gentlemen of Carpenter's Company of the present day—It is with much pleasure I accept the address which I see before me I shall preserve it and hand it down to my children for preservation I regard it as a very great trophy and one that will grow in estimation as time passes, as long as our republic lasts which it is hoped and I think we have assurance of now, will be long as time lasts.

Gen Grant and Mayor Stokely were driven to Independence hall, where a great crowd was in waiting The ex president took his seat in the chair occupied by John Hancock at the time of the signing of the declaration of independence and in front of the table on which the declaration was signed About 5000 people male and female were admitted and shook hands with the general, but no speeches were made

After exercises at Independence Hall, Grant planted an elm in Independence Square, and in the afternoon enjoyed Pinafore at the Academy of Music Mrs Grant, Col Fred Grant Mrs Don Cameron, Schuyler Colfax H T Gosborn Rev C H Tiffany and others were present Gen Grant was loudly cheered

WASHINGTON CITY

Washington Monument.

WASHINGTON Dec 16—The joint committee on the completion of the Washington monument, reported to the house to-day $67,000 has been expended in strengthening the foundation and $32 000 remains for that purpose. In the treasury there are $100 000, but to complete the work will require $677 000

The Work Completed.

The following telegram was received to-night

SOUTH PUEBLO Col Dec 16

To Carl Schurz, Secretary of the Interior Yours of yesterday just received While traveling home your dispatch of the 9th was received by us on the 11th and communicated to Ouray who immediately left for the camp of the White river Utes to hurry up their movements Before the receipt of your dispatch one of the 12 designated by us son of Douglass had been brought in, but we instructed Ouray to keep him and others until the full number was ready to be delivered Before I left I understood that a few others were at his house but not all, which was hardly to be expected as only five days had elapsed with snow very deep, traveling slow and the Indians much scattered I consider the surrender an accomplished fact and cannot think of a possibility that it be prevented although Gen Hatch may be delayed in bringing them out as the snowfall in that country has been unprecedented and the transportation can hardly be obtained Further negotiations in Washington as to the reservation will be easier of accomplishment than our task so far Write to you fully CHARLES ADAMS

The Bank Reserve.

The house banking and currency committee has decided to substitute Price's bill for Judge Buckner's bill requiring one half of the national bank reserve to be kept in coin The bill will be reported after the holiday recess

Chinese Immigration

Wilson of West Virginia offered in the house to day a resolution of inquiry as to what legislation is necessary on the subject of Chinese immigration referred

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

"John Brown's Soul Goes Marching On"

MADRID Dec 16—In the senate to day the minister of colonies stated that all the ministers had agreed to uphold the slavery abolition bill which will be immediately presented

Treaty with the United States

In the chamber of deputies the minister of foreign affairs said he would seriously consider the project for a treaty of commerce with the United States and would ask for a modification of the regulations governing customs duties levied in the United States upon Spanish wines

Banished

BERLIN, Dec 16—The principal persons tried with Mosky and acquitted but subsequently re arrested have been banished to Pultowa

The German Reichstag.

BERLIN Dec 16—The federal council adopted by a considerable majority the bill fixing the legislative period of the reichstag at four years, and provided that budgets be presented every two years.

Riot.

PESTH Dec 16—A riot occurred at Bejla Bosnia growing out of the resistance to the collection of taxes Nine companies of infantry have been sent against the rioters

The Amnesty Bill

PARIS Dec 16—The vote in the amnesty is not considered to have strength [illegible] the cabinet

The Greek Frontier

CONSTANTINOPLE Dec [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

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An Old Story Revived

[illegible]

Insurrection Feared

LONDON Dec 17—A Constantinople correspondent reports it is feared the agitation in Bosnia and Herzegovina will terminate in an insurrection against Austro Hungary

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

Meeting of the National Republican Committee at Washington Yesterday Proceedings—Place of Holding Convention—Election of Chairman Etc

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN

Anything to Beat Cameron

NEW YORK Dec 16—A *Tribune* Washington special says Anti Cameron men in the national republican committee have united on Governor Averill of Minnesota for chairman and are confident of success Averill was an influential member of congress aged [illegible] a man of high character considerable wealth and great executive ability It is believed he will get the united vote of those opposed to Cameron Ex Gov Jewell who came here with a purpose of his own will vote for him Averill's friends after a close canvass claim 20 votes sure [illegible] with an even chance for [illegible] more which will make a majority

Virtually Settled

An informal meeting of the members of the national republican executive committee this evening resulted in virtually disposing of the main business of to-morrow's meeting—the selection of chairman and time and place for holding the convention As soon as it was known that Cameron would have a place on the committee Chandler and Frye who have been considered strong candidates for the chairmanship announced that they would not make a contest with him for that position The general impression to night seems to be that this will result in leaving a clean field for Cameron A general canvass of views as to the availability of the various cities suggested developed unexpected strength among the advocates of Saratoga but Chicago seemed to be beyond any question the choice of a large majority

Meeting of the Committee

WASHINGTON, Dec 17—The republican national committee met at noon to day at the Arlington hotel for the purpose of choosing a chairman in the place of the late Senator Chandler, and of fixing the time and place for holding the next national convention of the party The committee was called to order by Secretary R C McCormick A temporary organization was effected by the choice of Elihu Enos of Wisconsin chairman and R C McCormick of Arizona secretary Nearly an hour was consumed in the examination and passing of credentials of those who appeared for absent members A good deal of time was consumed discussing the claim of New of Indiana to represent also Washington territory as proxy The claim was finally rejected Thos E Platt of New York was admitted as a proxy for A B Cornell The proposition to declare a vacancy in the case of Florida on the ground of non-residence of Purman brought on a discussion

Purman made a long speech in behalf of his own right to continue a committeeman and against the right of Wentworth, chosen by the republicans, on the ground of the non residency of Purman Purman's right to retain his membership was finally affirmed The resignations of the following members, offered two years ago were not accepted Cumback of Indiana, McCormick of Arizona and Rule of Tennessee The resignation of Cornell of New York, was accepted, and Thos E Platt admitted in his place The resignation of E A Noyes, of Ohio was accepted, and W C Cooper admitted in his place; Jno C New was admitted as proxy of Cumback of Indiana, but his proxy for Washington territory was refused The committee then voted by ballot for permanent chairman, resulting as follows Whole number of votes 42, necessary to a choice, 22 Donald Cameron, of Pennsylvania received 22, Averill, of Minnesota 19, blank, 1

The chairmanship being disposed of, Secretary McCormick presented his resignation He submitted that one campaign was as much work as could fairly be imposed on one man as secretary and at the same time disclaimed having been an aspirant to the chairmanship Opposition was made to the acceptance of the resignation, and it was proposed that an assistant secretary might be appointed but ultimately the resignation was accepted and the committee, by resolution, chose Thomas B Keogh, of North Carolina

The session lasted from noon to 3 30 P M The following is a corrected list of the members and proxies as finally made up

Alabama—Jere Haralson
Arkansas—Powell Clayton
California—Geo C Gorham
Colorado—J B. Chaffee
Connecticut—Marshall Jewell
Florida—Wm T Purman
Georgia—James T Deverаux
Illinois—James P Root
Indiana—John C New
Iowa—J Y Stone
Kansas—J A Martin
Kentucky—Wm G Goodloe
Louisiana—P B S Pinchback
Maine—Wm P Frye
Maryland—C C Fulton
Massachusetts—J M Forbes
Michigan—Louis Heath
Minnesota—Jno T Averill
Mississippi—G M Buchanan
Missouri—C J Filley
Nebraska—E V Valentine.
Nevada—J B Chaffee
New Hampshire—Wm E. Chandler
New Jersey—George T Halsey
New York—Thomas C Platt
North Carolina—Thomas B Keogh
Ohio—Wm C Cooper
Oregon—H W Scott.
Pennsylvania J Donald Cameron
Rhode Island—N W Aldrich
South Carolina—John J Patterson
Tennessee—Wm Rule
Texas—J P Newcome
Vermont—M S Colburn
Virginia—J B. Lener
West Virginia—John W Mason
Wisconsin—Elisha Enos
Arizona—R C McCormick
Dakota—Newton Edmunds
Washington—S J Bowen

A committee was then appointed to draft resolutions in honor of the memory of the late chairman Chandler

A resolution was adopted for the appointment by the executive committee of a committee including the chairman and secretary to take charge of all matters touching the control of the hall to be occupied by the convention in 1880

After recess the claims were presented of several places for holding the next republican national convention

Root of Illinois advocated Chicago He said he represented in this matter not only Chicago but the great northwest of which Chicago is the great railroad center That city had better hotel accommodations than any other city suggested for the convention It would give a bed to everybody attending the convention. It would supply one of the largest halls in the country, the exposition building roofed with glass and its architect would make any alteration that might be suggested The building was on the lake shore There was always a cool breeze and no coal smoke It was within five minutes walk of the railway depots and hotels and would be placed under the entire control of the executive committee Rooms and accommodations would also be furnished free to members of the executive committee at the Grand Pacific hotel All [illegible] desired by the committees would be supplied free of expense. Printing would be done free [illegible] proceedings of the convention [illegible] be furnished [illegible] Chicago [illegible] deal fairly with everybody

A Member—How about beer? Laughter

Mr R[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

NEVADA

Lost His Balance

VIRGINIA CITY Dec 1[illegible]—As [illegible] Sullivan was standing on the wall [illegible] foot level of the W[illegible] shaft [illegible] his balance and fell to the [illegible] level and was instantly killed

THE ENGLISH IN AFGHANISTAN

Latest from the Scene of Action—The Impregnable Situation of Cabul—Reinforcements—Etc

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN]

LONDON Dec 17—The cantonments of Shirpur are surrounded by high brick walls loopholed with outer ditches Both [illegible] walls earthworks are thrown up [illegible] their tops and making it [illegible] for the defenders to fire from At the corners and at intervals along the walls are [illegible] As against a position such as this held by 7000 British troops with a plentiful supply of artillery and munitions of war the rush of the savage mob could do nothing and their numbers however large would add little or nothing to their aggressive force The troops now on the way from Jellalabad and Gandamuk number two regiments of cavalry seven regiments of infantry and two batteries of artillery As large a force as this once free from the hills should be able to give a good account of itself and make its way forward however large a force Mahomed Jan may detach from Cabul to arrest its advance

Communication Interrupted

CALCUTTA Dec 16—The interruption of telegraphic communication with Gen Roberts is near Jag Jaluk

Gen Gough telegraphs that the tribes beyond Gandamuk are obstructing his advance

Won and Lost

The most difficult position of the enemy was gallantly carried yesterday Later in the day our troops lost the position which they had before taken

Troops for India.

CHATHAM Dec 17—In view of the serious nature of the late intelligence from Afghanistan troops are now under orders for India and will be dispatched earlier than originally intended The grave nature of the situation will delay the departure from India of some regiments which were about to return after long service

Treachery.

LONDON Dec 17—The viceroy of India telegraphs to day that communications with Gen Roberts are interrupted Daoud Shah formerly commander in chief of the Afghan army has been discovered to be insincere in his profession to co-operate with the British since their occupation of Cabul and his arrest seems to indicate his recent treachery or the discovery of the proofs of his perfidy in the affair of the slaughter of the British embassy in Cabul, on which occasion he was sent by the ameer to quell the revolt and publicly received the thanks of the British officers for his pretended efforts to assist Cavagnari

Hang Him.

CABUL, Dec 17—Daoud Shah who was commander in-chief of the Afghan army and who was sent by the ameer to quell the revolt at the time of the massacre of the British at the embassy, has been arrested

Captured.

A dispatch from Koobat announces that Gen Tytler attacked and captured Zawa which was stored with the grain of all the Zumukht tribes The enemy left a large number of dead on the field The British loss was four wounded

Latest News from the Front.

LONDON Dec 17—The viceroy of India telegraphed to-day as follows Gen Roberts has 7000 effective troops who have been withdrawn into Shirpur cantonment with slight losses, already reported The enemy must suffer very severely if they make an attempt upon Shirpur I consider Gen Roberts position perfectly safe He contemplates resuming the offensive as soon as he is settled in Shirpur, but, as he says there is nothing to be gained in capturing the difficult distant hills whilst the enemy are out in such numbers The enemy will shortly disperse for food, but meanwhile our evacuation of Cabul will encourage them and probably enable them to keep together longer than they otherwise would, and tend to raise the tribes upon our lines of communication The governor of Jellalabad has fled from his post but has been satisfactorily replaced Letters from the Afghan sirdars have been intercepted, detailing the arrangements for an attack on Cabul and inciting Kugianis to rise Similar letters have been sent to Shenwaris, Mohunds and Afreedis Gen Gough reports from Judgdalk that all the tribes in his front have risen and that his further advance is consequently impracticable without reinforcements Gen Bright is sending what reinforcements he can but does not like to weaken the Khyber line One and a half regiments of infantry one regiment of cavalry and a battery of artillery have left Peshawaur for the front A reserve division composed of one British and the native cavalry regiments three British and seven infantry regiments, and three batteries of artillery is forming at Peshawaur If the tribes do not disperse on finding they can make no impression on Gen Roberts at Cabul a strong force will be pushed up to reopen the line of communication

LIMERICK Dec 17—The evicted tenant who struck down Lord Fermoy in the Limerick county club house on Saturday last has been sentenced to five years penal servitude The sentence caused much sensation in the court

THE REPUBLICANS

The Action of the Committee what it Indicates—Etc.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN]

The New Secretary

WASHINGTON Dec 17—Thos B Keogh of North Carolina was chosen secretary of the republican national committee in place of McCormick resigned

Hurrah for Cameron

Cameron of Pennsylvania was chosen chairman of the republican national committee

Prognostications

WASHINGTON Dec 17 The action of the republican national committee to day is considered to indicate that the committee is nearly equally divided in its preferences for Grant and Blaine leaving Sherman in the background No action was taken on the request of the California state committee for the retirement of Gorham members of the committee being influenced partly by their views of political policy and partly on personal friendship for Gorham

SOUTH AMERICA.

South American War News

PANAMA Dec [illegible]—Advices from Lima Nov [illegible] bring intelligence of an important battle Nov [illegible] at a place called San Francisco The allied Peruvians and Bolivians under [illegible] numbering about 1[illegible],000 attacked the invading army of the Chilians [illegible] were defeated with a loss of 3000 [illegible]

[illegible]

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate

WASHINGTON, Dec [illegible]

Morgan offered a resolution that the continuance of the present volume of United States treasury notes and their maintenance at par is demanded by the public interest and that a full restoration of silver coinage to an equality with gold is necessary for the [illegible] supply [illegible] national prosperity He declared that it was [illegible] will draw any [illegible] currency as a change in the balance of trade [illegible] the source of prosperity

Senator Morgan said the [illegible] classes are content with [illegible] if there ever was a time when [illegible] should be abolished it was when notes were below par [illegible] maintain [illegible] legal tender quality through war and [illegible] when men engaged in the business of manipulating money [illegible] attempted to destroy it it would [illegible] suspicion on the good faith of the people to take away the legal tender quality now that resumption has begun Perhaps it would be well to take from congress the power to issue paper money in time of war. Our [illegible] might plunge the country into war [illegible] but there was no appeal from the decision of the supreme court that the present issue is constitutional Greenbacks are good as gold but they hamper the power of gold over the industry of the country and it is not surprising that gold and national banks are moving to destroy their competition Even at a moderate rate of interest we will have paid over four times the amount of the debt before it is paid off We are paying $40 000 000 annually for the use of $337 000 000 where we might have the benefit of U S notes without taxation He would not advocate the abolition of national banks, but would oppose the indefinite postponement of the payment of the public debt and would advocate the abolition of the monopoly that enables national banks to draw interest on a fund deposited to secure its circulation while holders of gold and silver are not permitted to bank upon it at all He would not vote against any measure that would disturb the industries of the country There was danger we might destroy business confidence, under which we were returning to prosperity The resolution was referred to the committee on finance

Davis of West Virginia, introduced a bill repealing certain permanent annual appropriations referred

After a short executive session Morgan introduced a joint resolution, that within 60 days after its enactment all lands granted to aid in the construction of railroads and telegraphs which have not complied with the requirements of their charters shall revert to the United States Among the grants thereby forfeited would be those of the Atlantic and Pacific and Northern Pacific Texas Pacific St Louis and Iron Mountain and Oregon Central railroads

Morgan's resolution, regarding railroad bonds was referred to the committee on judiciary

The following were also introduced and referred

By Call—To repeal section 3480 of the revised statutes. The section prohibits the payment of any claim against the government which accrued prior to 1861 in favor of any person who engaged in the late war

By Eaton—Authorizing the appointment of a tariff commission

Groome offered a resolution that a select committee of nine senators be appointed by the presiding officer whose duty it shall be to examine into the subject of a suitable route for the construction of an inter-oceanic ship canal across the American isthmus and all petitions memorials resolutions bills and reports on such or other methods of facilitating communication between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans be referred to the committee, and they may report at any time such resolution, bill or report, as may be best to secure such communication between said oceans laid over under objection to present consideration

Pendleton, from the committee on census reported the bill to amend the census act so as to allow the free passage through the mails of official correspondence of census officials to strike out the provision for the ascertainment of the ownership of the national debt and to require the enumeration in cities containing over 10 000 inhabitants to be taken within two weeks from January 1 1880 when the work begins ordered printed and laid on the table.

Johnston from the committee on agriculture reported favorably on the joint resolution introduced at the last session by Davis instructing the committees on agriculture of the two houses to consider the subject of agriculture and report what can or ought to be done by the general government to better advance encourage and foster agricultural interests laid on the table

The senate then held a short executive session and when the doors were reopened passed among others the bill to authorize free entry of competitive prizes won by American citizens in foreign countries. Adjourned till to morrow

House.

Ballou introduced a bill restoring legal tender currency to its constitutional requirements It repeals the section of the revised statutes which makes U S notes legal tender for all debts except customs and constitutes gold and silver such legal tender also repealing the bank check act, referred

McCord from the manufacturers committee reported the joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment giving congress power to grant protect and regulate the exclusive right to adopt and use trade marks.

The main question was in order and developed strong opposition on the democratic side in the discussion that followed It was at length referred to the judiciary committee with leave to report at any time

The consular appropriation bill was ordered printed and recommitted

The house then went into committee of the whole to consider the military academy appropriation bill

Jones from the committee on postoffices reported the bill to exempt postoffice employes from jury duty passed

Knott from the judiciary committee reported back concurrent resolution for the appointment of a joint committee of three senators and five representatives to investigate the present system of salaries fees etc, for officers of U S courts and to ascertain whether abuses exist agreed to

After considerable debate the committee bill passed without amendment and house adjourned

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SUGAR AND SYRUP.

But few people in this country have any idea of the vast quantities of these articles which are annually consumed, nor of the enormous sums of money which are paid for them. The country has relied almost entirely upon the cane fields of the southern states and the imports from foreign countries for its supplies, the latter source furnishing a very large proportion of it. The beet sugar industry is comparatively new in the United States, though the rapid progress which it has made in the few years past, shows that it may yet become a leading enterprise in the business of the country. A correspondent of THE OREGONIAN at Puyallup, W. T., who has given the subject much attention, contributes an interesting article upon it, which will appear to-morrow, in which he refers to the manufactories now in operation in California and elsewhere, and assigns the cause of the failure of the establishment at Sacramento. There is a very large factory at Portland, Maine, which is turning out sugar at the rate of fifty hogsheads per diem. So much success has already attended the efforts that it seems destined to spread rapidly and become permanent. The sugar beet has been cultivated in Europe since the beginning of the present century, and a large share of the sugar used in France and Germany comes from this source. The beet flourishes best north of the 45th parallel of latitude, on light soil in a dry atmosphere. It is very prolific in its yield, averaging 14 or 15 tons per acre in France and Belgium, and from 10 to 12 tons per acre about Madgeburg. About 6 per cent of the product is realized in sugar, or about 120 pounds of sugar to a ton of the root. This would give from 1200 to 1800 pounds to the acre. At the factory in Portland they pay $6 per ton for the beets, and an acre of ground would yield an income of about $75—not a poor crop, certainly.

It seems to us that this is an industry which is worth trying in this part of the country. The soil here is wonderfully productive in vegetation. The climate is believed to be favorable. Our sugar and syrup are heavy articles to transport, and the cost, as long as they have to be brought from distant lands, will always be very great.

The Chinese sugar-cane also seems worthy of attention, though its sacharine quality makes it valuable principally for the production of syrup. It is now cultivated quite extensively in some parts of the west and is said to flourish well, saving many thousands of dollars to those communities which produce it, that had been sent abroad. The reciprocity treaty with the Hawaiian kingdom was perhaps intended to benefit the consumers of the articles in question on this coast, but not a single advantage has ever been derived from it by the people at large. It has enabled a ring of California reformers to prevent any competition by eastern factories and to control the market more completely than they had ever been able to do before. We commend consideration of the matters suggested in our correspondent's interesting letter to the capitalists who may be seeking opportunities for investment in this new and growing country. That some of the attempts to establish beet sugar manufactories elsewhere have failed is no more argument against the probability of their success than that, because merchants often fail, it is a lack of wisdom to embark in mercantile pursuits.

THE VOTE IN NEW YORK.

The full returns of the New York election, as filed in the office of the secretary of state, show as follows: The whole number of votes cast for governor was 901,135, of which Cornell, republican, received 418,567; Robinson, democrat, 375,790; Kelly, Tammany democrat, 77,556; Lewis, greenbacker, 20,286; Mears, prohibitionist, 4437; scattering, 4489. The vote on governor is a little smaller than on the other state officers, excepting state engineer and surveyor, for which Seymour, the only democrat on the ticket who is elected, received 439,641; Soule, republican, 425,580; Nagle, greenbacker, 22,634; Hooker, prohibitionist, 4021; scattering, 5351. Soule, for this office, was beaten by 14,061 votes, but he received 6913 votes more than Cornell, who is elected by a plurality of 42,777 over Robinson. Of the vote cast in the state 482,568 were against Cornell, while that against Soule was 471,697. The plurality of the other candidates, all republicans, are: Hoskins, for lieutenant governor, 287; Carr, secretary of state, 1471; Wadsworth, controller, 5928; Wendell, treasurer, 2815; Ward, attorney general, 314.

The following will show at a glance how many republicans voted the balance of the ticket and refused to vote for Cornell: Hoskins received 16,733 more votes than Cornell; Carr received 17,244 more than Cornell; Wadsworth received 19,688 more; Wendell 17,733 more; Ward 18,818, and Soule, as before stated, 6913. Had Cornell got the full republican vote, as shown in the support of the other candidates on the ticket with him, his plurality would have been over 60 000 votes.

The vote of the state in 1878, for judge of the court of appeals was 328,445, and the republican plurality was 34,661. Comparing that election with that of this year, the republicans have gained 81,802, and the democrats, including Kelly's vote, 96,905; but comparing the vote of 1877, when Beach, democrat, was chosen secretary of state, over Churchill, rep., by 11,284 votes, the republicans have gained 66,355, while the democrats have gained, also including Kelly's vote, 70,294. But if we go back to the presidential election in 1876 and compare it with this year, we find that the republicans have lost 50 954, and the democrats 78 593, the total vote of the state this year being 103,367 less than in the contest for the presidency.

INCREASED MONEY SUPPLY.

The regular reader of the journals of the day has noticed the continued imports of gold from Europe to the United States, though but few people have an idea of the amount in the aggregate which the circulating capital of the country has been increased from this source within the last twelve months. The inflation of the currency, not that sort of inflation the greenbackers have been howling for, has been very great. The report of the director of the mint shows that there has been an increase in the amount of gold and silver coin in circulation in this country within the last sixteen months of more than one hundred and fifty million dollars. This has been by coining and importation. That is, we have now in circulation $150 000 000 more gold and silver than we had on the 1st of July, 1878. The report of the comptroller of the treasury shows that within the same length of time (since July 1, 1878) the national bank circulation has increased eighteen million or more. From Oct. 1, 1878 to Oct. 31, 1879, the national bank circulation had increased over fifteen millions, and since Oct. 21st, last, it has increased about $1 500,000, or an average of a hundred thousand dollars a day. On the 31st of October, last, the amount of coin in circulation in this country, according to the director of the mint, was:

Gold	$305 681 [illegible]
Silver	1[illegible]
Total	$451 691 057

Estimating the population of the United States at forty-eight millions, it will be seen that we have now a supply of coin equal to ten dollars per capita. This is an increase of $152,000,000 over the amount of gold and silver coin in this country on the 30th of June, 1878. Adding the increase of the national bank circulation since the same date, which has been $18 000,000 in round numbers, it will be seen that actual inflation of the circulating medium, within the sixteen months, has been one hundred and seventy million dollars.

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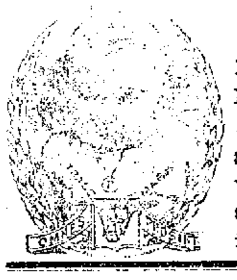

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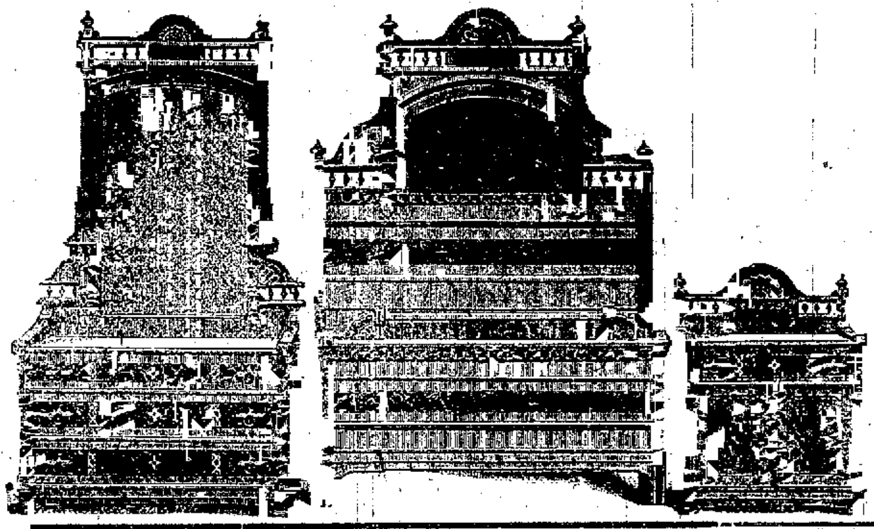

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do White Flannel, per yard	25
do Scarlet Flannel, per yard	30
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Proposals for the old Academy [illegible] will be sold cheap, will be received [illegible] and seats, desirable for any [illegible] be disposed of at very low prices.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING [illegible] Thompson House are hereby [illegible] for the same within ten days [illegible]

Portland, Dec. 15, 1879.

PROPOSALS.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTF[illegible] Sealed Proposals for the [illegible] Bridge, commencing at the [illegible] extending south 2850 feet on the [illegible] Road. All material will be furnished [illegible] dersigned, on the south bank [illegible] River, at the ferry landing. [illegible] ceived until Saturday, Dec. [illegible] with Wm. Underhill, at the [illegible] Wakefield, where the plans and [illegible] be seen. dec16d5t [illegible]

NOTICE.

IF HENRY HARTMAN, J. R. [illegible] liam Millholland, James [illegible] A. Munroe, C. H. Wallace and [illegible] or their heirs, if dead, will send [illegible] address to MULLAN & HYDE, [illegible] they will hear something to their [illegible] terest. MULLAN & HYDE, Land [illegible] torneys, Washington, D. C.

SHIPS' NOTICES.

BR. BK. "ABBEY TOWN," CAPT [illegible] from Hiogo. Neither the Captain [illegible] signed consignees of the above [illegible] be responsible for any debts [illegible] ed by the crew. BALFOUR, GUTHRIE [illegible]
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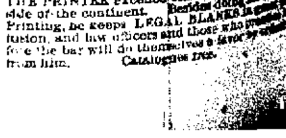

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WEATHER PR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Pacific cloudy and light [illegible] partly cloudy or clo

CITY

AT THE PAVILION.—T[illegible] track of the Mechani[illegible] walkers who have ent[illegible] this morning. It is to [illegible] mile and eight feet wid[illegible] loam and sand for the [illegible] about four inches thic[illegible] dust to the depth of [illegible] will give the walkers a [illegible] and ample room to pa[illegible] interfering. A billiard [illegible] be played in connecti[illegible] match, between Mr. Lo[illegible] co, and Mr. Davis, of [illegible] certain number of poin[illegible] the finish of the walk [illegible] take place, it will affor[illegible] accomplished game a g[illegible] their favorite sport, be[illegible] people to the pavilion w[illegible] perhaps not go. A g[illegible] Portland appreciate a g[illegible] and we would say this [illegible] attraction in addition to

CHINESE RELICS. R[illegible] rather improbable story [illegible] tion among the Chines[illegible] weeks, concerning the [illegible] relics east of the mou[illegible] an intelligent celestial [illegible] speaks English fluentl[illegible] and stated to a reporte[illegible] workmen engaged in m[illegible] the Northern Pacific r[illegible] worth, unearthed a C[illegible] bronze. The altar was [illegible] four feet wide and fou[illegible] engraved with numero[illegible] own language. The p[illegible] boxed, sent to this city [illegible] of their brethren and t[illegible] land on the bark Colum[illegible] Hongkong last month. [illegible] opinion that a tribe of [illegible] country in pre-histori[illegible] very transparent, but is [illegible] the celestial residents a[illegible] truthful by Wom Wom.

ANOTHER FIRE.—A fe[illegible] o'clock yesterday morni[illegible] was sounded which had [illegible] out the department. [illegible] house on Third street [illegible] owned by Nicolai Bros [illegible] flames. Owing to the [illegible] and the difficulty of g[illegible] had obtained great head[illegible] roof was in flames befor[illegible] thrown. Good work by [illegible] lower story of the dwelli[illegible] from spreading to the fra[illegible] proximity. The house [illegible] E. McComb, who loses a[illegible] ture, covered by insura[illegible] loss is $2000, also prote[illegible] The fire was probably c[illegible] flue.

LOW YING NIPPED.—[illegible] 6:30 a Chinaman named [illegible] the store of Mr. Nathan [illegible] grabbed as many articles [illegible] manage and started off [illegible] Day started after him, ch[illegible] street to Stark, where he [illegible] his best pace, with Joe [illegible] When at Second street [illegible] him, laying hold of his c[illegible] man was too quick for hi[illegible] coat from his shoulders, [illegible] leaving Joe in full posse[illegible] of his clothing. Day the[illegible] and fired at the Chinama[illegible] so that he fell down. D[illegible] and conducted him to [illegible] where he now lies in dur[illegible]

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.—A[illegible] teachers of the Unitarian [illegible] terday evening, a program[illegible] and accepted which prom[illegible] enjoyable and interesting [illegible] nessed in this city. The [illegible] be Tuesday in Christm[illegible] Halle has been already e[illegible] be a pantomime and fai[illegible] mas Eve," with stage sce[illegible] huge tree to be loaded wit[illegible] ments from which Santa [illegible] bute. The children are t[illegible] freshments, etc., and the [illegible] attraction for all. Furt[illegible] next week.

THE CHARITY BALL.—T[illegible] the benefit of the childre[illegible] which has been looked fo[illegible] pleasure for the past th[illegible] Turn Halle last night, on[illegible] most fashionable gatheri[illegible] there. The dresses wor[illegible] for the most part rich and [illegible] floor of the ball room dur[illegible] sented the appearance of [illegible] moving bouquet. At mid[illegible] a splendid supper, prepar[illegible] served and heartily enjo[illegible] was resumed at midnight [illegible] til an early hour this morn[illegible]

THE NEW FERRY.—The [illegible] has been running since M[illegible] ing to be all that the buil[illegible] the company could wish. [illegible] chinery works splendidly, [illegible] Jones is quite proud of th[illegible] ing apparatus, with whic[illegible] boat with great ease. The [illegible] are painted in delicate c[illegible] with elegant oak and w[illegible] look very inviting. The [illegible] lector each have state ro[illegible] comfortable, and well fur[illegible]

COLLISION OF STEAMERS.—[illegible] yesterday morning the [illegible] Quincy and A. A. McCu[illegible] they were leaving the wha[illegible] blew their whistles at the [illegible] the wheels were beginning [illegible] the steamers came togeth[illegible] McCully crashing in the [illegible] guard and damaging it [illegible] She had to return again fo[illegible] McCully steamed away up t[illegible]

LARGE BAKERY.—Messrs. [illegible] of the Oregon Bakery, pur[illegible] brick structure on North [illegible] the river frontage, near th[illegible] lery, for the sum of $17,50[illegible] improve and turn it into a[illegible] bakery for the manufactu[illegible] crackers and hard bread. [illegible] route from Chicago 22,00[illegible] chinery for the works.

RETIRED.—In consequen[illegible] Mr. J. R. Thompson, wh[illegible] past has had personal ch[illegible] known Thompson House, [illegible] business. Mr. Jas. Osfield, [illegible] has had much experience [illegible] ness, has leased the hou[illegible] charge of the same. He [illegible] receive all the old patrons [illegible]

THE ALEX. DUNCAN ALL R[illegible] ing steamer Alex. Dunca[illegible] which was reported wreck[illegible] Rogue river, arrived at San [illegible] day morning. A telegram [illegible] received by the agent, Mr. [illegible] Duncan will probably sail [illegible] few days.

ESCAPED.—A deserter fro[illegible] was arrested at Astoria and [illegible] this city in charge of an offi[illegible] Emma Hayward, escaped fr[illegible] St. Helens yesterday afterno[illegible] seen to leave the boat, and [illegible] he jumped overboard and s[illegible]

ENLARGED.—The Daily As[illegible] last night enlarged to six c[illegible] spondingly lengthened. T[illegible] valuable paper and merits [illegible] success it has achieved in t[illegible]

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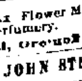

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THURSDAY MORNING, DEC 18, 1879.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—12:30 A. M.—For North Pacific cloudy and light rains; middle South Pacific, partly cloudy or clear.

CITY.

AT THE PAVILION.—The work of laying the track of the Mechanics' pavilion for the walkers, who have entered, was commenced this morning. It is to be sixteen laps to the mile and eight feet wide. It is composed of loam and sand for the foundation, which is about four inches thick, covered with sawdust to the depth of about an inch. This will give the walkers a firm track to walk on, and ample room to pass each other without interfering. A billiard match is talked of to be played in connection with the walking match between Mr. Lowery, of San Francisco, and Mr. Davis, of this city. Playing a certain number of points each evening until the finish of the walk. Should this match take place, it will afford lovers of this very accomplished game a good chance to witness their favorite sport, besides bringing many people to the pavilion who would otherwise perhaps not go. A great many people of Portland appreciate a good game of billiards, and we would say this would be a very strong attraction in addition to the walking match.

CHINESE RELICS REPORTED FOUND.—A rather improbable story has been in circulation among the Chinese for the past few days, concerning the finding of Chinese relics east of the mountains. Wom Wom, an intelligent celestial on Second street, who speaks English fluently, was interviewed and stated to a reporter that some Chinese workmen engaged in making excavations on the Northern Pacific railroad beyond Ainsworth, unearthed a Chinese altar of rich bronze. The altar was about eight feet long, four feet wide and four feet high, and was engraved with numerous inscriptions in their own language. The precious treasure was brought sent to this city, given in charge of six of their brethren and taken to their native land on the bark *Colima*, which sailed for Hongkong last month. Wom Wom is of the opinion that a tribe of his race inhabited this country in pre-historic times. The story is very transparent, but is generally believed by the celestial residents and is vouched for as truthful by Wom Wom.

ANOTHER FIRE.—A few minutes past two o'clock yesterday morning an alarm of fire was sounded which had the effect of bringing out the department. The large dwelling house on Third street between C and D, owned by Nicolai Bros. was discovered in flames. Owing to the lateness of the hour, and the difficulty of getting water, the fire had obtained great headway, and the entire roof was in flames before any streams were thrown. Good work by the boys saved the lower story of the dwelling and kept the fire from spreading to the frame buildings in close proximity. The house was occupied by W. [illegible], who loses about $1500 on furniture, covered by insurance. Nicolai Bros'. loss is $3000, also protected by insurance. The fire was probably caused by a defective flue.

LOM YING NIPPED.—Last evening about dusk a Chinaman named Lom Ying entered the store of Mr. Nathan on Front street and grabbed as many articles as he could handily carry and started off with them. Officer Day started after him, chasing him up Front street to Stark, where he turned, running at a fast pace, with Joe close at his heels. Near Second street Day caught up with him, taking hold of his coat. But the Chinaman was too quick for him; for, slipping the coat over his shoulders, he started off again, leaving Joe in full possession of that article of clothing. Day then drew his revolver and fired at the Chinaman, which scared him so that he fell down. Day then caught him, and conducted him to the police station, where he now lies in durance vile.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.—At a meeting of the teachers of the Unitarian Sunday school, yesterday evening, a programme was submitted and adopted which promises one of the most novel and interesting occasions ever witnessed in this city. The evening taken will be Friday in Christmas week, and Turn Halle has been already engaged. There will be a pantomime and fairy scene of "Christmas Eve," with stage scenery and effects. A tree is to be loaded with presents and ornaments, from which Santa Claus will distribute. The children are to have a dance, recitations, etc., and the evening will have pleasure for all. Further announcement next week.

THE CHARITY BALL.—The charity ball for the benefit of the children of the orphanage, which has been looked forward to with much interest for the past three weeks, drew at Turn Halle last night, one of the largest and most fashionable gatherings ever assembled here. The dresses worn by the ladies were for the most part rich and handsome, and the scene in the ball room during the dances, presented the appearance of an immense living, moving bouquet. At half-past eleven o'clock a splendid supper, prepared by the ladies, was served and heartily enjoyed. The dancing was resumed at midnight and continued until an early hour this morning.

THE NEW FERRY.—The O. & C. Ferry No. 2 has been running since Monday and is proving to be all that the builders promised, and the company could wish. The powerful machinery works splendidly, and Genial Captain [illegible] is quite proud of the new Gates' steering apparatus, with which he handles the boat with great ease. The cabins of the ferry are painted in delicate colors, are supplied with elegant oak and walnut chairs, and are very inviting. The captain and colored crew have state rooms aboard, large, well lighted, and well furnished.

COLLISION OF STEAMERS.—At an early hour yesterday morning the steamers *City of Quincy* and *A. A. McCully* collided just as the latter was leaving the wharf. Both steamers blew their whistles at the same moment, and the wheels were beginning to revolve when the steamers came together with a rush, the *McCully* crushing in the *Quincy's* larboard guard and damaging it about $100 worth. She had to return again for repairs, while the *McCully* steamed away up the river.

STEAM BAKERY.—Messrs. Liebe & Hollbing, of the Oregon Bakery, purchased the large brick structure on North Front street, with river frontage, near the old Star distillery, for the sum of $17,500, and propose to improve and turn it into an immense steam bakery for the manufacture of all kinds of crackers and hard bread. They have now en route from Chicago 22,000 pounds of machinery for the works.

RETIRED.—In consequence of ill health, Mr. J. R. Thompson, who, for many years past, has had personal charge of the well known Thompson House, has retired from business. Mr. Jas. Oafield, a gentleman who has had much experience in the hotel business, has leased the house and will take charge of the same. He will be pleased to receive all the old patrons and his friends.

THE ALEX. DUNCAN ALL RIGHT.—The coasting steamer *Alex. Duncan*, Capt. Carroll, which was reported wrecked at the mouth of Rogue river, arrived at San Francisco yesterday morning. A telegram to that effect was received by the agent, Mr. Z. J. Hatch. The *Duncan* will probably sail for this port in a few days.

ESCAPED.—A deserter from the *Lucille*, who was arrested at Astoria and was en route to this city in charge of an officer on board the steamer *Hayward*, escaped from the boat near St. Helens yesterday afternoon. He was not seen to leave the boat, and it is supposed that he jumped overboard and swam ashore.

ENLARGED.—The *Daily Astorian* came to us last night enlarged to six columns and correspondingly lengthened. The *Astorian* is a valuable paper and merits for the future the success it has achieved in the past.

CLOSED FOR THE PRESENT.—The New Market Theater will remain closed until next week in order to have the Christmas attraction properly rehearsed and put on the stage in a perfect manner.

REMOVED TO PORTLAND.—Mr. E. O. Norton, editor of the *Oregon Literary Vidette*, has removed to this city from Salem, and his publication will hereafter be issued from No. 5 Washington street.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.—The next regular quarterly teachers' examination will be held in the Park building on Saturday, 27th inst., commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.

LETTER BOXES.—All letter boxes are affixed to lamp posts, so they cannot be mistaken for fire alarm boxes which are usually fixed to telegraph poles. Don't forget this.

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING, DEC. 17, 1879.

Last evening a regular meeting of the common council was held at the chamber at 7 o'clock.

His honor Mayor Thompson in the chair; R. L. Durham, auditor and clerk, and Chief Lappeus in attendance.

The following members were present: Gerdes, Keller, Nicklin, Opitz, Payne, Simon, Stolte, Watson, Weber.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

FROM THE MAYOR.

The following communication was received from the mayor and referred to the committee on landings and wharves:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, PORTLAND, Dec. 17, 1879.
To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Portland—GENTLEMEN: I would most respectfully recommend for your consideration the following plan for the improvement of the public levee in front of blocks 112 and 113 and at the foot of Jefferson, Columbia and Clay streets.

Have a heavy row of piling driven in front of the public levee on the line recently adopted by the common council, as the front or river line for wharves. Then authorize ships to discharge stone ballast inside of this row of piling, until the place between the piling and the dry land is filled. When this is done employ the prisoners who are serving out sentences of imprisonment in the city jail in leveling the same, and make the public levee what it was intended to be by the parties who dedicated the same to the city, a public landing for boats, to be forever kept for that purpose and kept clear of all obstructions. A part of it might be used for a time by the city for the purpose of erecting a shed for the shelter of the city prisoners in wet weather, under which they could be profitably employed in breaking stone to improve the streets around the park blocks and other city property.

Ships are discharging ballast at our wharves of superior stone for street work almost continually, and they now pay persons for hauling the same away from the wharves where it is discharged.

Ships would be enabled to lay alongside the public levee, and consignees would be glad to have such a place to discharge their ship's ballast and the city could utilize the same in the manner I have mentioned. Respectfully submitted,
D. P. THOMPSON, Mayor.

From Geo M. Reynolds and others, asking to have a street lamp erected near the North Thirteenth street bridge; referred to the committee on streets.

From school district No. 1 and others asking to have a street lamp erected at the southeast corner of Madison and Eighth streets; referred to the committee on streets.

From A. Hamilton, asking if the council could devise any means by which he could receive the money due him for work done on the Pine street sewer. The petitioner stated that he had waited for two years, and thought that he ought to receive what was due him; referred to the committee on streets.

From W. Sweeney & Co., asking permission to erect an awning or shed in front of their planing mill at No 82 C street; referred to the committee on streets.

From Ira Goodnough and others asking to have the city park opened and improved; referred to the committee on streets.

From A. E. Flowers asking to be appointed janitor of the police building, offering to perform the required services at the rate of $25 per month; referred to the committee on accounts and current expenses.

From V. B. DeLashmutt and R. Williams asking to have block No. 11, Couch's addition, removed from the fire limits for certain reasons; referred to the committee on fire and water.

REPORTS.

The committee on streets presented the following report, which was adopted:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Portland—Your committee on streets and public property, to whom was referred the petitions of M. S. Burrell & Co. and DeLashmutt and Williams, for the vacation of a portion of Second and North Second streets, adjoining block 33 and block 11, together with the remonstrance of Wm. Young against such vacation, beg leave to report that under the provision of the state law, no such vacation can be made without the consent of two-thirds of the property owners in the city, of legal age, objection or remonstrances having been made. Such consent not having been filed, we would, therefore, recommend that the further consideration of the matter be indefinitely postponed.

JOSEPH SIMON,
F. OPITZ,
HENRY WEBER,
Committee on Streets and Public Property.

The following report from the same committee was placed on file:

To the Honorable the Common Council—GENTLEMEN—Your committee on streets and public property, to whom was referred the petition of the Portland Lumbering and Manufacturing Company, beg leave to report that the property on Sheridan street, known as the west half of lots 7 and 8, block 71, against which an assessment was levied, amounting to $130 86, for the improvement of said street, has been sold, and that there is still a deficiency in the fund for the improvement of said street amounting to $130 86, the property having sold for a less sum than the costs of sale. We are therefore under the impression that the city is liable for such deficiency, and recommend that an appropriation be made from the general fund to supply the deficiency, and herewith present an ordinance providing therefor.

HENRY WEBER,
F. OPITZ,
Committee.

A report of the viewers (L. Brooke, C. W. Burrage and F. Dekum) in relation to the proposed extension of E street was read and filed.

FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY.

The following report from the city attorney was read and filed:

OFFICE OF CITY ATTORNEY,
PORTLAND, Dec. 3, 1879.
To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland—GENTLEMEN: I herewith submit to you my report upon the resolution adopted at your last meeting, in regard to the awards for street extensions to Jacob Kamm, Chas. Tilton Kamm and Coung Ye Loung Co.:

City of Portland vs. Jacob Kamm—Jury awarded $1600; date, June 11, 1874, extension of Main street.

City of Portland vs. Chas. Tilton Kamm—Jury awarded $1583; date, March 22, 1875, extension of Main street.

City of Portland vs. Coung Ye Loung Co.—Jury awarded $2500; date, April 1, 1878, lateral extension of Second street.

Amount due on Main street extension, $3183; amount due on lateral extension of Second street, $2500.

"Do these awards bear interest?" is a question of some difficulty, as it is an entirely new one under our charter; and, probably no one can answer the question with certainty. But after having given it the most careful attention I am of the opinion that they do not bear interest. The law contemplates, as I believe, that the parties may remain in possession of their lands until the tender of the award is made by the city, and that the use of the property is the equivalent of interest.

Respectfully,
J. C. MORELAND,
City Attorney.

CLAIMS.

The following claims against the city were ordered paid:

Manchester Locomotive Works	$ 101 00	H. Lueg	$ 11 97
W. T. Everson	22 00	R. R. Riley	2 50
John Gibson	480 00	OREGONIAN	4 25
John D. Drew	1807 82	J. H. Lappeus	2 60
M. Tierney	188 98	Knapp, Crane & Co	13 00
American Telephone Co	3 10	Dayton & Hall	80
C. C. Strong	7 50	J. J. Meston	34 10
George Tuttle	2 00	Geo. H. Himes	19 50
Robert Holman	18 00	A. Tafner	7 50
Ogn Brass Works	4 60	Thompson, De Hart & Co	6 02
Smith Bros & Watson	41 12	Willamette Iron Works	2 55
		S. J. Burns	185 40

ORDINANCES.

From the committee on judiciary, making an appropriation out of the police fund for the relief of C. H. Howard; passed.

From the committee on fire and water, authorizing certain repairs to be made to No. 4's engine house; passed.

From the committee on health and police, making an appropriation out of the police fund for paying the police force; passed.

From the committee on accounts and current expenses, amending ordinance No. 1081, fixing the bond and compensation of the city treasurer; read twice.

The following ordinances were presented by the committee on streets:

Declaring probable cost of improving North East Park street from A to G; passed.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the same; passed.

Making an appropriation to supply the deficiency for the improvement of Sheridan street; read twice.

Declaring the probable cost of improvement of Jefferson street from Front to the Willamette river; passed.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the same; passed.

Declaring the surplus assessment for the improvement of Alder street, and cancellation of the same; passed.

Declaring the surplus assessment for the improvement of Lincoln street and cancellation of the same; passed.

Declaring the surplus assessment for the improvement of South First street; passed.

Declaring the probable cost of improving North West Park street from B to G; read twice.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the same; read twice.

Declaring the probable cost of improving North Sixth street from A to G; read twice.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the same; read twice.

Declaring the probable cost of improving Main street from Fourth to Eleventh; read twice.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the same; read twice.

ENGROSSED ORDINANCES.

Authorizing the purchase of a Hayes' hook and ladder truck; passed.

Amending the ordinance relating to the time and manner of improving E street from North Fourth to Tenth; passed.

Amending the ordinance relating to the time and manner of improving North Seventeenth street from A to B; passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the city surveyor be directed to survey a lateral extension of Third street at its intersection with A street, so that the west line of Third street at its intersection with Ash street and with A street shall correspond with a prolongation of the west line of N. Third street from the north line of A street to the north line of Ash street, and that he make his report and a plat of such proposed extension and file the same as required by law.

Resolved, That notice be given that the common council propose to improve First and N. First streets from the center line of Vine street to the south line of E street, by bringing the street to grade with broken or crushed stone.

Resolved, That notice be given that the common council propose to improve First street from the center line of Salmon street to the south line of Madison street, by laying crosswalks and by bringing the street to grade with broken or crushed stone.

Resolved, That the auditor and clerk give notice that the common council propose to establish the grades of North Front, North Thirteenth, North Fourteenth, North Fifteenth, North Sixteenth, North Seventeenth, North Eighteenth, North Nineteenth and North Twentieth streets, at their intersection with the northern boundary of the city of Portland at heights above the established grade which would be fixed by establishing the grade of T street in Watson's addition, at the heights hereinafter set forth, and continuing the grades of streets between S and T streets to the established street grades, that is, to make the grade of T street as follows: At North Front street, 19.5, at North Thirteenth, 19.75, at North Fourteenth, 22, at North Fifteenth 24, at North Sixteenth, 28, at North Seventeenth, 32, at North Eighteenth, 36, at North Nineteenth 41 and at North Twentieth, 50 feet above the base of grades.

Resolved, That notice be given that the common council propose to improve Front street from the north line of Ash street to the north line of Madison street, by laying Nicholson pavement the full width of the street, and by constructing sidewalks and aprons and catch basins, and by doing the necessary grading.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by his honor the mayor for the purpose of conferring with Mr. E. O. Schwagerl in relation to laying out the city park, and to ascertain and report to the council what compensation E. O. Schwagerl will demand of the city for such service.

The mayor appointed as such committee Councilmen Payne, Watson and Nicklin.

Resolved, That C. W. Burrage, Frank Dekum, and John Harlow be and are hereby appointed viewers of the proposed extension of Market street from Eighth street to the west line of the Chapman donation land claim, to meet at the office of the auditor and clerk of the city of Portland on Saturday, Dec. 27, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., to make an assessment of damages and benefits occasioned by such extension.

Resolved, That the auditor and clerk give notice of the appointment of such viewers in the manner provided by law.

Council adjourned.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The ship *Abbey Town* is at ballast wharf.

The ship *Napier* is lying at Greenwich dock.

The *Oregon* sails for San Francisco Saturday.

The *State of California* sails from San Francisco this morning.

The bark *Emmanuel Phinney* is moored at Corbitt & Macleay's dock.

The ship *Eliza McNeil* is discharging her cargo of iron at the railroad dock.

The bark *Chrysolite* is loading at Greenwich dock and will leave for Astoria to-morrow.

The bark *Arthurstone* will begin loading to-day with wheat and flour at McCraken's dock.

The bark *Electra* is loading with wheat at Flanders' dock and will leave for Astoria Saturday.

The little schooner *Emily Stephens* is lying at the Gas Company's dock, awaiting a cargo for Tillamook.

The barkentine *Webfoot* is discharging her cargo of 800 tons of iron for the N. P. R. R. at Flanders dock.

The ship *Triumph* is moored at Greenwich dock and is transferring the iron for the N. P. R. R. to up river boats.

Cargoes in wooden ships this year from Astoria have turned out as well in Europe as cargoes in iron ships.—*Astorian.*

There is a free channel of 23 to 24 feet at Swan Island and St. Helens, and about 22 feet at the hog's back at high tide.

The *Lucile* left for Astoria in tow of the *Oklahama* yesterday morning. She will take the balance of salmon remaining in Astoria for foreign shipment.

PROPOSALS FOR TIES AND TIMBER.

Proposals to furnish ties and timber to the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., as per their advertisement, were opened yesterday at the O. S. N. Co.'s office by Capt. J. C. Ainsworth, as follows:

R. L. Perham, Hood River; Blalock & Son & Co., Walla Walla; Wm. J. Aiken and Davidson, Portland; Presby and Prest, Goldendale; Allan Bradford, Dalles; J. Rasher, Hood River; A. C. Phelps, Cascades; Henry Davis, Portland; Wm. Grant, Sprague; Dermot and Hish, Pleasant Grove; Lyman and Smith, Hood River; John Moore, Walla Walla; Thomas Johnson, Goldendale; John Phelan, Portland; Wm. F. Brown, Dalles; Sextin and Cobb, Colfax; M. V. Hooper, Goldendale; Thomas Nerr, Goldendale; James McAuliff, Walla Walla; E. B. Smith, Hood River; Alex & W. H. Reed, Walla Walla; James N. Young, Weston; A. Waller, Weston; Henry S. Davis, Portland; Thos. J. Howell, Portland; S. R. Smith, Ainsworth.

The bids were telegraphed to Mr. H. Villard, New York, and as soon as an answer is received the contract will be awarded.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

Theodore Nicolai and wife to Earl C. Bronaugh, 16 Dec, 1879 lots 7 and 8 blk 47, Caruthers' add to Caruthers' add—$2100.

Samuel F. Scott and wife to Charles C. Hall, 15 Dec, 1879, 137½ acres in E ½ of W ½ of Whitaker's D L C, in sections 7 and 8, 17 and 18, T 1 N, R 2 E—$4000.

RELEASE.

W. F. Highfield to P. A. Marquam mortgage dated January 31, 1874, on lots 5 and 6 blk 11, Caruthers' add, also SW ¼ sec 17, T 1 S, R 1 E—$1600.

W. E. Dement to P. A. Marquam and wife, mortgage dated April 1, 1874, lot 1 blk 1 S, city—$1000.

J. E. McCauley to P. A. Marquam and wife, mortgage dated April 12, 1871, lot 4 blk 11, Caruthers' add—$1000.

Miles Bell to P. A. Marquam and wife, mortgage dated April 10, 1874, lot 5, blk 11, Caruthers' add—$100.

UP THE COLUMBIA.

The following dispatches from up the Columbia, last evening, indicate the condition of the weather:

Wallula—Cloudy; ther. 34°.
Umatilla—Cloudy; ther. 38°.
Celilo—Cloudy; ther. 44°.
Hood river—Raining; 34°.
Scotts—Cloudy; ther. 36°.
Cascades—Cloudy; ther. 37°.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Charles W. Knowles of the Clarendon Hotel removed yesterday to his residence on Fourth street near F.

Bishop Seghers returned Tuesday evening from Victoria. To-morrow morning he will start for Umatilla to remain a short time.

Mr. H. Thielsen, chief engineer of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, who has been in New York for the past two months, started for home yesterday morning.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Gilman & Co. will commence the auction sale this morning of Mrs. Ach's large and desirable stock of dress and millinery goods. Rare bargains are promised.

INSTITUTED.—E. W. Ryan, D. G. W. C. T., and organizing officer, instituted at East Portland Lily Lodge No. 342, I. O. G. T., with 31 charter members. The following is a list of officers installed: James Howell, W. C. T.; Adah L. Heckling, W. V. T.; Henry Herrold, S.; J. A. Ewell, A. S.; C. Sibert, F. S.; James Shaver, T.; J. T. Emerson, C.; P. O'Hara, M.; Fannie McClure, D. M.; Ida Russ, G.; Albert Gee, S.; Dr. H. C. Cpoley, P. W. C. T.; P. O'Hara, L. D. Evening of meeting, Tuesday of each week.

ELECTION.—At the annual election, held by Oswego Grange No. 174, Dec. 13th, the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing year: Master, J. S. Dickinson; Overseer, Miss Ettie Carman; Steward, R. B. Wilmot; Asst. Steward, L. M. Davidson; Chaplain, C. W. Bryan; Treasurer, Joseph Ranger; Secretary, Milton K. Shipley; Gatekeeper, F. Ford; Ceres, Mrs. A. Whitten; Pomona, Mrs. F. Ford; Flora, Miss Della Carman; Lady Asst. Steward, Miss P. A. Hayes.

ODD FELLOW ELECTION.—At a regular meeting of Columbia Rebekah Degree Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Medora Hoffman, N. G.; Mrs. Alvira Smith, V. G.; Carl. M. Elliott, Sec; Mrs. W. F. Wilcox, Treas.

SOCIAL.—The ladies of the Taylor street church gave a pleasant social last night in the church lecture room.

WOODARD & MAGOON.—This well known and popular firm are doing a very lively business. Orders for hacks and carriages, both day and night, come in so rapidly that they can at times be scarcely filled. The gentlemen composing the firm are accommodating and attentive to business, and that accounts for their popularity.

A novelty, remarkable for both utility and cheapness, is a new globe, for sale at Gill's Book Store for 50 cents. This firm can supply schools or individuals with globes ranging from this low price to $75 each.

Don't forget the great auction sale of $20,000 worth of Dry, Fancy and Millinery goods, commencing Thursday at 10 A. M., at the store of Mrs. H. Ach, corner Second and Morrison.

For first class ferrotypes and gem pictures, go to the new gallery opposite Ladd & Tilton's. Taken rain or shine.

Buy your darlings a Christmas gift at Hirstel's, whose stock is varied and large. Be sure to call and see things.

The DAVIS SEWING MACHINE is the best sewing machine made. McKercher & Thompson, agents, 105 First street.

Fred. Ernst and James McCafferty, now conduct the Occidental Hotel Restaurant. Call on them.

Gillman & Co. sell this morning at salesroom, on account of departure, Household Furniture.

Blank Books for the New Year at McKercher & Thompson's.

Silverware, Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, etc. Full stock at B. L. Stone's.

Ladies, call at the new store opp. P. O. for French candies and holiday goods.

Ladies, buy your embroidery silk at the Singer Machine office, 150 First street.

Ladies' hairdresser, Miss Cecelia Rockwell, 110 Morrison, between Fourth and Fifth.

Sewing machine needles new at Barbey's, 52 Yamhill St. All kinds needles.

Note the new goods offered by B. L. Stone, the jeweler.

Pampas Plumes at Robbins & Yates.

BRIEF NOTES.

And still another fire.

The social season in full blast.

A very raw day was yesterday.

Christmas one week from to-day.

County court has adjourned for the term.

How short and uncertain is life, sigheth the plump, round turkey.

"The Woman in Red" is one of the dramatic attractions promised.

Show windows are looming up more and more handsomely every day.

The big bell was out of "kilter" at the time of the fire yesterday morning.

The Harrison street school building is rapidly approaching completion.

The charity ball last evening must be recorded as a most successful affair.

Get out those good resolutions, young man, and paste them up in some conspicuous place.

The last time a man goes into a graveyard he does not laugh at the style of the tombstones.

The Herne and Belasco company, with Fred Bert as Manager, were in Cincinnati at last accounts.

This is the season when it naturally occurs to a fellow that Damon and Pythias are not more tenderly associated in history than Tom and Jerry.

Respectfully dedicated to Mr. Thos. Cat:

O the feline brutes erotic!
Is there not some strong narcotic,
Some refined and rare hypnotic,
Some potent spell,
Soothing catnip, helleborus,
Anything to still the chorus
Of your piercing, wild, sonorous,
Nocturnal yell?

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours.

PORTLAND, Dec. 17, 1:57 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom	Change last 8 Hours	Ther.	Wind Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weather
Portland	29.97	—.09	40	S E	.13	Lt Rain
Olympia	29.94	—.06	42	S	.07	Cloudy
Roseburg	30.02	—.04	40	Calm	.0	Cloudy
Red Bluff	29.99	—.07	46	S	.0	Foggy
Sacramento	29.99	—.07	42	S	.0	Foggy

MILITARY NOTES.

A board of officers consisting of First Lieutenant George G. Greenough, 4th artillery; First Lieutenant John A. Lundeen, 4th artillery, convened on Tuesday, Dec 16, 1879 at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of investigating and reporting upon the alleged neglect of the contractor for carrying mails, supplies, etc., between Astoria, Forts Stevens and Canby, and will recommend the amount that should be charged against said contractor for his failure to comply with the terms of his contract. The board is authorized to sit at Forts Canby, Stevens and Astoria, should the members deem it necessary to do so.

LADIES' EMPORIUM.

The new Ladies' Emporium of passion, art and novelties established by John B. Garrison at 149 Front street is fast becoming one of the leading attractions of the city of Portland. Here can be found genuine French point lace handkerchiefs and skillful imitations of same; hemstich, border, plain linen and every variety of silk handkerchiefs; a full assortment of ladies' scarfs, chenilles and embroidered silks; 400 varieties of relief pictures from fancy work. It is the depot of supplies for the Centennial, Wave and other platters, immortelle flowers, Pampas plumes. A large and varied assortment of coral jewelry, zephyrs, Germantown and Saxony wools; patterns and material for making Honiton lace, card and Bristol board, ribbons, spirals; a choice variety of aprons, mottoes, scissors, hand and machine needles, visiting cards, combs, and many other articles too numerous to mention, selected with care for the holiday trade. Happy to see you. Will endeavor to please you with bargains at our one price accommodation store, 149 Front street. "The Ladies' Emporium."

LARGE STEAM BAKERY.—Messrs. Liebe & Hollbing, of the Oregon Bakery, are gentlemen of the required "push," and are meeting with the reward which their enterprise and the excellence of the crackers and bread they manufacture deserve. Their business has grown to such dimensions as to necessitate increased accommodations. With this object in view they have purchased the large brick structure on North Front street, with the river frontage, near the old Star distillery, for the sum of $17,500, and propose to improve and turn it into an immense steam bakery for the manufacture of all kinds of crackers and hard bread. They have now en route from Chicago 22,000 pounds of machinery for the works, and will be ready to supply their customers in the spring with unlimited quantities of the very best article. They have the best wishes of the community for the success of the undertaking.

OPEN YOUR EYES.

Do not expect to get goods "BELOW COST" at Belcher and Co.'s. We sell our goods so low that in order to compete with us, some dealers have to advertise "CLEARANCE SALES BELOW COST," etc. Low rents and small expenses, consequently low prices and small profits satisfy us, and besides we try to please all our customers. All goods first class; money returned if entire satisfaction is not given in all cases. Remember the place, 223 First street, C. T. Belcher & Co.

Pampas Plumes at Robbins & Yates.

Diaries for 1880 at McKercher & Thompson's, 105 First street.

For the holidays—new stock of jewelry and silverware at B. L. Stone's.

For Dyspepsia, Damiana Bitters. Fleckenstein & Mayer are sole agents.

OYSTERS.—Eastern oysters by every steamer at Keith's, corner First and Oak streets.

Finest French candies and fresh fruits at the new store opposite the postoffice.

The leading music house north of San Francisco—D. W. Prentice & Co., Portland.

For cheap suits see W. J. Quinn, No. 104 First street, up stairs. This is no humbug.

Those who are buying goods, are requested to notice the new ad. of Comstock & Pfluger's.

You can get a good mirror and clock at Wheeler Bro., 24 Main st. by paying $1 a week.

WANTED.—Second hand furniture and stoves, for which the highest price will be paid. Address lock box 844.

Masquerade costumes and wigs for rent. Trimmings and masks for sale at Mrs. Chas. Tichnor's, corner First and Yamhill streets. Send stamp for price list.

WM. SCHEFFLER'S ST. HELENA
SANITARY, VACUUM DISTILLED GRAPE BRANDY AND GOOD OLD EDGE HILL WINES.

Mr Scheffler is sole proprietor of the principle known as the vacuum process of distilling, by which the fusil oils are left with the residue and not incorporated with the brandy, leaving it pure and free from all deleterious substances which does and must exist in all alcoholic liquors distilled by the usual process of boiling heat. *California Physicians* have pronounced their preference of it to all other. Doctor Cox, government revenue officer at Cincinnati, Ohio, says in his report, that after ten years' of close investigation he can safely say that very few, if any, pure wines or brandy are exported from the Old Continent to this. He has found none in his many analyses—that all are doctored before leaving France. The French Consul at Buenos Ayres writes home to his government that so much complaint is made there of the appearance of litharge and other dangerous drugs in all their French wines, that there is great danger of losing the trade of the Argentine States. Other proofs could be cited, were it necessary, to prove the superiority of the best class of California wines and brandy. Orders from responsible parties, addressed to Wm. Scheffler, or Geo. H. Beach, St. Helena, Napa county, Cal., will receive prompt attention.

Why Will You

Allow a cold to advance in your system and thus encourage more serious maladies, such as Pneumonia, Hemorrhages and Lung troubles, when an immediate relief can be so readily attained. *Boschee's German Syrup* has gained the largest sale in the world for the cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung Diseases. It is Dr Boschee's famous German prescription and is prepared with the greatest care, and no fear need be entertained in administering it to the youngest child, as per directions. The sale of this medicine is unprecedented. Since first introduced there has been a constant increasing demand and without a single report of a failure to do its work in any case. Ask your Druggist as to the truth of these remarks. Large size 75 cents. Try it and be convinced.

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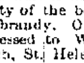

DR. WM. KOEHLER,
DENTIST,

Has opened his new Dental rooms, corner of First and Main streets, Starr's brick building, over Dr. Plummer's Drug store. n1f tf

White's Prairie Flower,

Taken before retiring, will insure a good night's rest, will awake you in the rosy morn to health, comfort and vigor. For coated tongue, bad breath, sick headache or any distress arising from dyspepsia or torpid liver it is without a peer. Its action on disease is entirely different from any of the ever introduced, relieving pains almost instantly. The hue and cry raised against it by patent medicine men, who have foreseen its revival to the destruction of their nefarious business, and the thousands of unsolicited testimonials flowing in from all parts of the New World is a sure indication of its great merits. Trial size at all Drug Stores. Half pound bottles 75 cents.

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, Dec. 17, 1879.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT, DEADY, J.

United States vs. W. C. Griswold—Petition for appointment of a Receiver allowed, and C. A. Reed appointed Receiver and required to give bonds in the sum of $5000, to be approved by the Master.

COUNTY COURT—RICE, J.

LAW.

Bank of British Columbia vs. W. W. Page, John Harlan and M. L. Wieson. Judgment by default against defendants for $470, and interest and costs.

PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Sohlin, deceased—Order for sale of real estate.

In the matter of the estate of Moses Martin, deceased—Order for sale of real estate.

In the matter of the estate of Alois Rind, deceased—Objections to final account argued and submitted.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Courtney, deceased. Order for final settlement.

COMMISSIONERS.

The resignation of Wm. Frazier, Constable of East Portland Precinct, accepted, and A. L. Kirk appointed to fill the vacancy.

Ordered that the allowance of $10 per month heretofore made in favor of Mrs. E. Butler be discontinued.

In the matter of the petition of John Oberly and others for re-location of county road from the city of Portland to Fulton. Report of the viewers and communication from the Portland Macadamized Road Company read first time, and Ira F. Powers, Wm. Beck and Lewis Love appointed Appraisers to assess damages to Portland Macadamized Road Company, in the event of the location of a county road on a line of its road from the city of Portland to opposite Milwaukie, said Appraisers to meet at the Court House, Tuesday, December 30th, at 9 A. M.

POLICE COURT—STEARNS, J.

Drunk and disorderly—Dan Crammer, Tom Sullivan, O. C. Olson, Jos. Olson, $5 each; Tom Pierce, $20; Jackson Stelley, $10.

Sawing wood on sidewalk—China Jim, $5.

Assault and battery—David Hogan, $10.

Soliciting prostitution—Chinese Mary, $5.

Beautiful School Globes for 50 cents at Gill & Co's.

Go to McKercher & Thompson for Holiday Presents, 105 First street.

Masquerade suits cheaper than ever at Mrs. Chas. Tichnor's, corner First and Yamhill Sts., Portland. Send stamp for price list.

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Decker & Son Pianos with the latest improvements are now acknowledged to be the best Pianos manufactured in the United States. H. Sinsheimer, 129 First st., sole agents.

Having satisfied hundreds of new customers that his photo work pleases them, Davidson will resume his old prices on New Year's day. Until then cards $2.50 and cabinets $4.

By looking to the wants of his customers, Mr. F. G. Abell, the photographer, can and does give thorough satisfaction. One needs but look at his large display to be convinced of this.

EUGENE D. WHITE—Commissioner of deeds, notary public and general conveyancer, 130 First st., Portland, Ogn. All forms of legal documents properly executed and acknowledged for *all of the states and territories, including the District of Columbia.*

SUICIDE.

A distinguished scientist once said: "No man with a strong, healthy stomach ever committed suicide, yet many suffer the torments of the damned with dyspepsia when a single bottle of DR MINTIE'S ENGLISH DANDELION LIVER AND DYSPEPSIA PILLS will give relief, and, if persisted in cure the worse case of this distressing trouble. This pill cures torpid liver, biliousness, sallow complexion, foul breath, sick headache, heartburn, pain in side and back, removes pimples from the face, regulates the bowels, is sugar-coated and guaranteed purely vegetable. It acts directly on the coating of the stomach and on the liver; is suited to any climate, wet or dry weather. Beware of imitations; genuine has cut of lion on outside wrapper. Price, 50 cents. Sold by all druggists. Hodge, Davis & Co., Portland, wholesale agents.

How to Save Money.

Instead of going to a doctor, if you have Bright's Disease, Diabetes, pain in back and loins, smarting, inflammation, calculi, brick-dust deposit, or any trouble of the kidneys or bladder, buy a bottle of DR MINTIE'S NEPHRETICUM, the great *Buchu Compound.* It is the best prescription ever compounded for these troubles. Abrams & Carroll, Wholesale Druggists, say: "*We regard Nephreticum as the best Kidney and Bladder Remedy in the market.*" Woodward, druggist, Portland, Oregon, says: "Everybody speaks highly of it." Childs, druggist, Portland, says: "Sold lots of it; it always does the work." Many have been cured of obstinate kidney complaints after the doctors gave them up. Sold by all druggists. Price $1 25. Hodge, Davis & Co., Portland, Wholesale Agents.

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The great English remedy—has made more cures of Nervous Debility, Seminal Weakness, Lost Manhood, nocturnal emissions, lassitude, inability for mental labor, despondency, and such diseases as are induced by youthful follies and excesses, than all other medicines combined.

It is not a stimulant nor excitant, is perfectly safe to take, is not a *quack nostrum*, and produces results that are wonderful.

Price, $3 a bottle. Four times the quantity, $10. Buy a bottle. It will not disappoint you. Hodge, Davis & Co., wholesale agents.

FINNEN'S HAVANA CIGAR STORE
Has the largest and best selected stock of cigars in the city, comprising New York, Key West and Imported Havanas. Call and be convinced that you can get a better article for a less price than at any other store in the city. No. 132 First st., near Alder. Sole Agency for the Celebrated Kerbs and Spies New York Cigars.

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, New York City.*

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500 Overcoats and Ulsters, Men's, Youths' and Boys' Reversible Ulsters, at 20 per cent. below recent rates. Great slaughter! Must be sold before January 1st. If you want a Bargain don't fail to call early, as we are determined to give everybody Good Winter Clothing at Panic Prices. J. KOHN'S CLOTHING PALACE, corner First and Morrison streets.

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No holidays would be complete
Without those candies fresh and sweet
That you can get at S. L. Stone's store,
And you may buy them less or more.

As children give to Christmas joy,
The lovely girl and [illegible] boy
Should have their [illegible] filled to the tops
With bon bons, caramels and drops,
Cornucopias of candy.
For presents you'll find them handy;
Boxes of bon bons candies mixed
With these for Christmas you'll be fixed.

For Santa Claus you all know 'tis so
Expects you [illegible] the [illegible] to go,
And at S. L. Stone's candy store
You'll be entertained with goodies galore;
Remember, corner of First and Ash,
And call in time before the rush.

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Manufacturers of
PRINCESS ROYAL SAVON, ROYAL KITCHEN, ROYAL BORAX, ROYAL CONDENSED, LAUNDRY, CHEMICAL, OLIVES,
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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST. CHARLES.

C A McGuire, Astoria
A Knapp Jr, Knappa
Chas A White, Olympia
Mrs Jackson, St Helens
Mrs W E Lindsey, Kalama
H L Marster and daughter, North Yamhill
A T Smith and wife, Forest Grove
J J Shipley, Dayton
Jos Daniels, Astoria
Mrs Edgar, Dalles
Mrs Franklin, St Helens
M Manning, Greenville
J Mantz, Eugene
D Sternberg, S F
Capt A G Parker, Olympia
C O Lee, Buena Vista
J Davidson, Vancouver
W J McDonald, North Yamhill
Geo Gray, N Yamhill
Wm Shorey, N Yamhill
F [illegible], Albany
W S Powell & wife, Dayton
D J Parker, Amity
J D Lee, Dallas
Mrs Dore and child, St Helens
A Thornburg, Greenville
Jas Muckle, St Helens
W F Smith, W F S.

CLARENDON.

Thos C [illegible]
J J Hudson, city
J Mosby, S F
B F White, Cal
E K Webster, U S A
Miss J Allen, Walla Walla
F A Watts, Peoria
H S Ferguson, Astoria
C W Fulton, Astoria
J C Forbes, Tacoma
J Hubbard, Turner Station
W R Fitzgerald, city
Mrs Burns, McMinnville
B F Burch, Independence
J Ayer, S F
T C Porter, Halsey
D F Stewart, Crawfordsville
Thos Manly, Butte, Montana

OCCIDENTAL.

A F York, Salem
H R Robins, San Jose, Cal
Jo Porter, Silverton
S A Scott, Salem
Edward C Hill, City of Portland
E Caswell, S F
L W Tate and wife, Union Ridge
J K Dickinson and wife, Sumner, W T
E A Thatcher, Salem
L J Johnson, Dalles
Harris & son, Silverton
G Brown, Oregon City
W C Brown, Dallas
C M Hatfield, Dallas
J O Waterman, Columbia City
J H Woodruff, Oak Point
W J Brandt Jr, O & C R R
E A Larocque, Or City

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For the Kidney and Bladder, Damiana Bitters. Fleckenstein & Mayer are sole agents.

Thousands have been changed by the use of the Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of iron) from weak, sickly, suffering creatures to strong, healthy and happy men and women, and invalids cannot reasonably hesitate to give it a trial. For Dyspepsia and Debility it is a specific.

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NEW
Silk Handkerchiefs,
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HOSIERY,
KID GLOVES,
SATCHELS,
Silk and Alpaca
UMBRELLAS.
AND A SUPERIOR LINE OF
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Hats and Bonnets.
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Centennial Exhibition, Philadelphia, 1876
Exposition Universelle, Paris, 1878.
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ESTABLISHED 1812.
CLAPP'S
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SPOOL COTTON.
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It is finished soft as the cotton from which it is made; it has no waxing or artificial finish to deceive the eyes; it is the strongest, smoothest and most elastic sewing thread in the market; for machine sewing it has no equal; it is wound on
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JET BLACK
Ever produced in spool cotton, being dyed by a system patented by ourselves. The colors are dyed by the
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Rendering them so perfect and brilliant that dressmakers everywhere use them instead of sewing silks.
We invite comparison and respectfully ask ladies to give it a fair trial and convince themselves of its superiority over all others.
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Gents' Furnishing Goods.
Hats, Umbrellas.
Boots and Shoes.
Cloaks, Notions,
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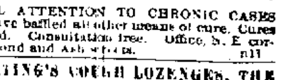

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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 18, 1879.

"GOD KNOWS."

[Some years ago a child's body was found on the south coast, having been thrown there by the waves. The Parish Clerk, on being asked what should be put on its grave, answered in perplexity, "God knows." This proved a fitting epitaph.]

Where the tear fed violet blooms
Where the shade the sunbeam chases,
Where in mossy marble tombs
Sleep the dead beneath the daisies
Where the mourner slowly wanders
When the bird hath sought its nest,
And amid the gloaming ponders
Over those who tranquil rest.

Clouds across the crimson sky,
Homeward gaily were careering
But in that lone churchyard I
Heeded not that night was nearing.
Discords in my bosom swelling,
Broke the music of life's song,
For my soul was weary dwelling
Mid the ever-earthly throng.

Far within the stilly shade
Of a quiet, sequestered corner,
Where the wild flowers bloom and fade,
Gently nurtured by no mourner,
Was a grave, an infant's only.
No one knew the name she bore,
As the waves which, dark and lonely,
Cast her lifeless on the shore.

O'er this grave a humble stone
Reared its lichened head so lowly,
Like a sentinel alone,
Watching 'mid the silence holy
Hither came the croaking raven,
From the stone its weird notes rose;
On its surface rudely graven
Were the simple words, "God knows."

As a moonbeam on the sea
Charms the sad wind's shriek to singing,
So those tender words to me
Tuned my song, sweet solace bringing.
Though my thorn-strewn way was dreary,
Though my feet found no repose,
Yet my soul, life-worn and weary,
Rested in the thought, "God knows."

SKAGIT TRAIL.

DIFFICULTIES TO BE ENCOUNTERED—A PATHWAY TO SUPPOSED WEALTH NOT STREWN WITH ROSES.

[REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 16, 1879.

Just now the Skagit trail project appears to be paramount to all other considerations with our people. Public opinion appears to be all one way, so far as your correspondent has observed—that gold mines of great value have been discovered on the Skagit; but as to whether these expectations are to be dissipated by future developments or not, of course I am not prepared to say. Possibly it is, however, that, like dead sea apples, they may turn to ashes at the tasting, while yet, like Xerxes' tent of gold, the new discovery may challenge public attention for years to come.

In a previous article I devoted considerable space to a description of the country in which the discovery has been made, and at this time wish simply to venture a few reflections upon the proposed route from Puget Sound to the mines. As previously intimated, those who have visited the mines during the past season have obtained steamboat passage to Mount Vernon on the Lower Skagit, and from thence have proceeded in canoes to Goodell's place, eight miles above the portage. From thence they have picked their way along as best they could for 20 miles over an extremely rough country along the right hand side of the river to Price's place, where, after being ferried across the river (at a point 2½ miles above the mouth of Ruby creek), they have crossed Jack's mountain, a distance of 10 miles, striking Ruby creek 10 miles above its mouth. Now

WHAT HAS BEEN PROPOSED.

Is to construct a trail over this same route, commencing at the portage instead of at Goodell's place. It has also been asserted that steamers can ascend the river to the portage. However, after as thorough an investigation of the subject as circumstances would permit, your correspondent has ascertained the following facts: 1st, that no steamer has ever yet ascended the river further than Minkler's mill, only about one-third of the distance from the mouth of the river to the portage; 2d, that none of the Puget Sound steamers can possibly ascend the river further than the mouth of Baker river, which is only one-half of the distance from the mouth of the river to the portage. The rapids are very numerous, particularly above this point. During the past season a great number of canoes have been upset in making the trip and their occupants obliged to swim ashore. Besides the canoes, provisions and tools that have thus been lost six men have been drowned outright. However, it is claimed by good judges that a steamer can be constructed that can ascend the river during the highest stages of water to the portage. Through the portage no steamer or even lesser craft of course could pass. The very narrow passage is obstructed by granite boulders bristling up in every direction, through which the waters dash with such a terrific roar as to render one's voice inaudible to a companion. As the volume of water gradually becomes less in the river after the annual or semi-annual rise the boat, like that above referred to, it is claimed would be obliged to effect a landing lower and lower down stream, until finally she would find it impossible to advance further than the mouth of Baker river. Then from here

THE THOUSANDS WHO WILL VISIT

These mines next season must seek another mode of conveyance. In no case could a sufficient number of canoes be mustered to perform the service. Besides they are not the safest means of conveyance. What then? Your correspondent would suggest that some enterprising parties, either here or from abroad, go into the manufacture of a sufficient number of batteaux to meet the coming exigency. There is certainly money in it. As regards the trail, this much has been ascertained from intelligent and thoroughly reliable sources. It cannot be constructed over the present, and proposed route, for less than $4000 or $5000, suitable for pack animals, and it may cost more. However, there is another route. Word comes from Goodell's place that a number of miners recently came down from the diggings via Ruby creek to the Skagit river. The creek was found to prospect finely all the way. At the mouth of Ruby creek they crossed the Skagit on a raft, and from thence proceeded on to Goodell's. They state that from where

THE PRINCIPAL MINING

Is now being done down to where the creek empties into the river, the base of Jack's mountain slopes gradually to the water, and is comparatively destitute of timber. Along this route, following the creek, they further state, pack animals can be driven with but little trouble. In view of this fact, they also claim that it will only be necessary to construct the proposed trail to the mouth of Ruby creek, 17½ miles from Goodell's, and that by crossing the river two or three times the cost of constructing the trail even over this distance can be greatly reduced. So it would appear that the $1500 already subscribed by our citizens would be quite sufficient to do the work.

Fifty men have been engaged to work on the trail from ten to thirty days, providing the same be made a free route, for $25 per month, provisions and tools found. But no definite plan has been determined upon. A meeting, however, of the subscribers to the fund will be held here on Wednesday evening next, to determine a plan.

Since my last letter I have been shown a number of rich specimens of nuggets (20 carat gold) worth from 50 to 75 cents, taken from several other creeks near Ruby or emptying into it. Mr. Price, it is further stated by Mr. Goodell, has obtained some fine specimens of gold on the river from two to three miles above Ruby creek. Then, according to Reed's British Columbia government report, a copy of which has been shown me by Mr. John Levy, gold exists in fair quantities in the black sands along the river from ten to twenty miles above this point. The report also gives the location of a number of supposed to be valuable quartz ledges, in the same locality.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

CALIFORNIA.

Savage Pumps to Continue.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—The managers of Savage and Hale & Norcross met shortly before noon to-day, and after a brief conference it was decided to keep the Savage pumps going the two companies to divide the expense equally between them.

Ophir Meeting.

At the Ophir election to-day, R. H. Tallis was chosen director, vice Geo. Wells, resigned. Otherwise the old board remains unchanged. The surplus on hand is $155,000.

Dividend.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Bodie declares a dividend of 50 cents.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Sprung a Leak.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 17.—The bark *Jennie Pitts* arrived here from Honolulu last evening, making the trip in twenty days. On her voyage down the pumps had to be continually worked day and night for thirty one days, and on one occasion the crew refused to work them any longer, and the captain fearing mutiny armed himself and afterward at work until Honolulu was reached. While discharging cargo in port the ship made eleven feet of water in one night, and had it not been for Captain Stewart's good management coupled with the immense amount of labor performed by the crew, the ship could never have reached her destination in safety.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Surrendered.

VICTORIA, Dec. 15.—The outlaws have surrendered to the Indians after killing two more men, making five in all. They are now on their way to Kamloops for trial.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Dec. 17.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Silver, 99¾ buying; par selling.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Silver Bullion [illegible] fine, per fine ounce, 113½.

U. S. Bonds—5s 3; 4½s, [illegible]; 4s 3½.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Consols—97 15-16, money 97 7-16 account.

U. S. Bonds 5s, 6¼; 4½s, 9¾; 4s, 5½.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.

Wheat—Shipping nominally, $1 50@52.
Flour—Weak.
Oats—Fair to good feed, $1 [illegible]@1 40.
Grain Bags—Strong.
Wool—Strong.
Potatoes—Dull.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 17.

Wheat—Spot dull.

No. 1 standard, 12s; No. 2 standard, 11s 7d; red winter, 11s 2d; white Michigan 11s 7d; red American spring, 9s 7d@10s 1d.

Beerbohm English Wheat Report.

LONDON, Dec. 16.

Floating cargoes and cargoes on passage and for shipment are inactive. Liverpool spot quiet but steady. Wheat on passage to the continent 74[illegible]000 quarters.

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.

Wheat—Very dull and nominal; no selling pressure.

Barley—Very quiet and easy.

Corn—Large yellow and small white sold at 92½c; small yellow, 95@97½c.

Flour—Very dull and weak.

Rice—China, easy at $4 60@4 70.

Potatoes—Humboldt, 90c; Early Rose, 25@30c; sweets, best 75c.

Oats—Feed, unimproved.

Butter—Fresh roll, choice to extra choice, and pickled, easier.

Eggs—California, weak at 30@32½c; eastern, 25@30c.

Hams—Eastern C sugar cured, choice to fancy, firm at 14@15c.

Hides—Steady.

Grain Bags—Stiff.

Receipts during the past 24 hours—5500 qr sks flour; 75,000 ctls wheat; 225 ctls oats; 3000 sks potatoes; 16,000 doz eggs, includes 1 car of western.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.

Wheat—$1 28¾ per bu. paid for January.
Short ribs—$6 60.
Pork—$12 55 paid for January.
Lard—$7 20 paid for January.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec 16.

Wheat—Unsettled, $1 50@1 56.
Wool—Steady.

Shipping Intelligence.

[SPECIALS TO MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Sails—To morrow—Sch C. H. Merchant, Coos Bay. Saturday—Str Colima, Panama; str Dakota, Puget Sound. To day—Sch Hueneme, Seattle. Monday—Str Australia, Sydney. Tuesday—Str Wilmington, Panama; str Gussie Telfair, Coos Bay.

9 A. M.—Weather clear and cold; fresh north wind.

Noon—Weather bright; light south wind.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Arrived—Sch Majestic, Seattle; bk Oregon, Seabeck; bk Rival, Knappton; bk Atlanta, Port Gamble.

Sailed—Str Arcata, Coos Bay; Br sh Ardgowan, Cork; schs Hayes, Bobolink and J. B. Leeds, Umpqua.

VICTORIA, Dec. 16.—Passed—Str Victoria, for San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Sailed—Str Crescent City, Panama via Fortress Monroe.

PANAMA, Nov. 30.—Sailed—Str Salvador, Acapulco.

CALLAO, Nov. 15.—Sailed—Sh St. John, San Francisco.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—Cleared—Bk Ceylon, Honolulu.

PORT GAMBLE, Dec. 17.—Arrived—Bark Jennie Pitts, Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Arrived—Sh Templar, Seattle.

Coming in—Str Geo. W. Elder, Portland.

Sailed—Br bk Zoroya, Cork; ship Hueneme, Seattle.

4 P. M.—Weather clear and cold; light south wind.

ASTORIA, Dec. 17.—3 P. M.—Br bark William D. Seed arrived at 2 P. M. The Aberlemno, Dochra, City of Halifax and Gian McLeod are in Baker's Bay ready for sea.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.

MORNING BOARD

300 Ophir	21@21½	280 Alta	2 85
260 G & C	4 60@4 50	310 S Nev	24
220 B & B	9¾	30 Mex	17½
350 Con Va	4 15	320 S Hill	80c
350 Chollar	5½@5¼	1500 New York	30c
155 Potosi	3 15@3 05	200 Dardanelles	85c
150 Jacket	9¼	200 P Sheridan	20c
1000 Imp	40c	375 L Wash	⅛
85 Kentuck	2 80@2 85	50 Occidental	95c
1000 Alpha	9@8½	250 Caledonia	1
170 Belcher	1	265 Ward	1 30
80 Confidence	6¾	245 Scorpion	2 55
130 Utah	11	150 Leviathan	25c
270 Bullion	4	250 G Gate	1 10
400 Exchequer	2 85	700 Condorado	1 40@1 35
25 Seg Belcher	15	205 Flowery	⅛
1000 Overman	4	725 N Bonanza	35@30c
500 Justice	1	1450 Mackey	10c
720 Lady Bryan	25c	220 Point	95c
625 Julia	75@80c	255 Ca'a	4 05
1282 Savage	4 90	1255 H & N	6⅜@6⅝
600 Challenge	1 65	620 Andes	55c
660 Union	1 60	50 Benton	1 50

AFTERNOON BOARD

150 R & E	1 90	60 Con Pac	4
50 Bu Con	15½	170 Dudley	25c
300 Belmont	75@85c	25 Bulwer	9¼
200 Gila	15c	50 Summit	40@45c
125 N Belle	6⅜@6½	60 Adconda	45@50c
97 Argenta	1 10@1 05	150 McClinton	45c
270 Navajo	25c	650 Mammoth	3⅞@3¾
200 Endowment	70c	10 Boston	1 20
100 KK	5	100 M White	50c
10 Manhattan	1¼	100 S Noonday	1 85
140 Star	20c	500 Tip Top	2
350 B Isle	1 60@1 65	50 G Terra	12
900 Prize	60c	15 S King	4
450 Metallic	70c	50 C B'Hills	3¼
1060 Day	1@95c	100 G O Abe	5
200 Hillside	85@90c	200 Be'mont	80c
180 Paradise	60c	25 Booker	25c
650 Albion	40@50c	25 Independ	75c
70 Wales	3 10	250 Jackson	4
305 Syndicate	2½	200 Orient	20c
160 Concordia	25c	320 Noonday	4½@4 80
160 Belvidere	35c	70 Summit	60c
500 Champion	20@15c	200 Tioga	1 80
80 B Hawk	40@50c	400 Oriental	25c
80 Mono	3⅞		

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Thursday, July 2d.

Purse 500, free for all trotting horses, in harness, mile heats, 3 in 5. First horse $350, second horse $100, third horse $50.

Friday, July 3d.

The Walla Walla Cup, dash of two and a quarter miles for all ages, without penalties. Purse $500; entrance $50, added to stake; first, two thirds of stake; second, two-thirds of remainder, and the rest to third.

Saturday, July 4th.

Second Renewal of the Grand Walla Walla Derby; dash of one and a half miles, for three year olds; entrance $50, half forfeit, with $500 added; first horse to receive two thirds of stake, second colt two-thirds of remainder, and the third colt the balance.

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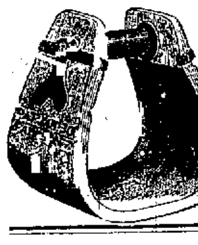

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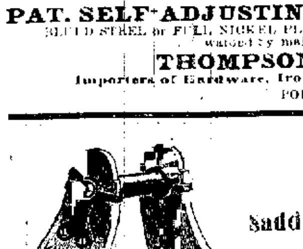

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Oregon Steam Navigation Company.

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d3td THEODORE WYGANT, Sec'y.

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DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows:
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LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland........7:30 A. M. | Roseburg
Roseburg........5:00 A. M. | Portland
ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows:
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland........4:00 P. M. | Albany
Albany........5:30 A. M. | Portland
FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland........6:15 A. M. | Junction
Junction........5:30 A. M. | Portland
The Oregon and California Railroad [illegible] connect with all Regular Trains.
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KALAMA TO TACOMA
AND
TACOMA TO WILKESON
(Coal Mines.)
MAIN LINE TRAINS
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)
LEAVE.
Kalama........11:20 A. M. Tacoma
Tacoma........7:00 A. M. Kalama
Puyallup Road Trains
LEAVE
Tacoma........6:45 A. M. Wilkeson
Wilkeson........2:30 P. M. Tacoma
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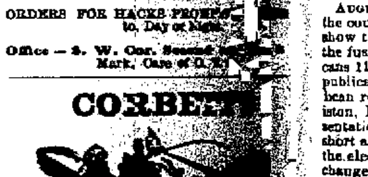

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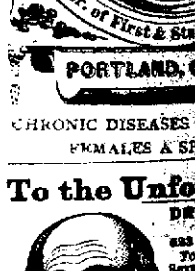

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